UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MINNESOTA

United States of America,

Crim. No. 24-69 (PAM/JFD)

Plaintiff,

v. ORDER

Deonta Lanllie Denton,

Defendant.

This matter is before the Court on the Government's Motion for a Preliminary Order of Forfeiture. (Docket No. 45.) Based on the plea agreement between the Government and Defendant Deonta Lanllie Denton, the Court finds that the Government has established the requisite nexus between such property and the offense to which Defendant has pleaded guilty. (Docket No. 41.) Therefore, certain property is subject to forfeiture pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c).

Accordingly, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 1. The Government's Motion for a Preliminary Order of Forfeiture (Docket No. 45) is **GRANTED**;
- 2. Defendant is ordered to forfeit a Girsan Regard Six 9mm semiautomatic pistol with serial number T6368-20A16378 and all magazines and ammunition seized therewith to the United States pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(d)(1) and 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c);

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3. The Attorney General or his authorized designee may seize and maintain

custody and control of the property pending the entry of a final order of

forfeiture;

4. The United States shall, pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(n)(1), as incorporated

by 28 U.S.C. § 2461(c), publish and give notice of this Order and its intent

to dispose of the property in such manner as the Attorney General may

direct;

5. Pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(4)(A) and (B), this Order shall become

final as to Defendant at the time of sentencing, and shall be made a part of

the sentence and included in the judgment; and

6. Following the Court's disposition of all petitions filed pursuant to 21

U.S.C. § 853(n)(2) or, if no petitions are filed, following the expiration of

the time period specified within which to file such petitions, the United

States shall have clear title to the property and may warrant good title to

any subsequent purchaser or transferee.

Dated: April 28, 2025

s/Paul A. Magnuson

Paul A. Magnuson

United States District Court Judge

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